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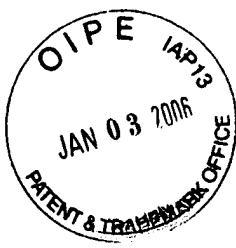
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For: PRESSURE-SENSITIVE ADHESIVE
MATERIALS AND SEALING MATERIALS
WITH A THREE-DIMENSIONAL
STRUCTURE, AS WELL AS PROCESSES
FOR THEIR PRODUCTION

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REPLY TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Restriction Requirement dated December 1, 2005, the following election and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Applicants hereby elect Group II consisting of claims 14-20 for initial examination in this application. This election is with traverse.